

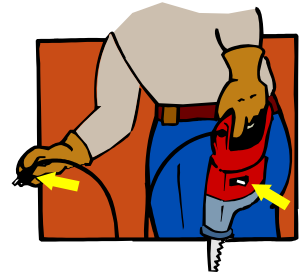
# FREE WORKSHOP!

OFM – Risk  
MANAGEMENT DIVISION

## BASIC FIRE AND ELECTRICAL SAFETY



**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2004**  
**9:00 A.M. – NOON**  
**LACEY COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**6729 PACIFIC AVENUE S.E.**  
**WOODLAND CREEK COMMUNITY PARK**  
**BANQUET ROOM A**  
**LACEY, WA**



### INSTRUCTOR:

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Risk Control Engineer for Willis of Seattle

**Note:** This course code formerly referred to an electrical safety workshop. That workshop has been revised to include the basic fire prevention workshop using the course code number 01-07-EE51 to create the "Basic Fire and Electrical Safety" Workshop.

### COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Double your pleasure and *double your loss prevention savvy with two FREE safety workshops in one*--with practical safety information for the work setting or home. October is National Fire Prevention Month--so designated because on October 8, 1871, Mrs. O'Leary's Cow kicked the lamp that burned Chicago, followed by John Beck's boiled over glue pot in 1889 that caused the "great Seattle fire" (and the now famous Underground Tours of Seattle).

Fire tragedies seem to "happen to the other guy" when the stories unfold on the 5 o'clock news. But all too often fire tragedies hit home--harming OUR families, friends, neighbors, co-workers and businesses across town or just next door. Participants will learn about the leading causes of fires and their impact on people and property, and steps to

take to prevent these often tragic or costly losses.

The workshop will also focus on a companion *topic--electricity*. *More than a review of familiar hazards--like damaged cords or overloaded circuits*, the workshop covers basic electrical theory, provides static electricity hazard examples, and examples of typical hazards the electrical and fire pros see in their inspections.

By learning the basics of electricity and being able to identify common hazards, participants can apply the safety or loss prevention measures discussed to reduce the potential for electrical accidents on the job or at home. Participants also learn how electricity affects the body, and also how ground fault circuit interrupters, double insulated tools, and other devices work to minimize electrical shock accidents.

Register by contacting your agency training manager or contact the DOP training division directly at (360) 664-1921, and ask for the course titled **"BASIC FIRE AND ELECTRICAL SAFETY"** (Course Code **01-07-EE51**).

- ◆ If you have any questions about this workshop please contact Jolene Bellows, Risk Management Division, at (360) 902-7312 or e-mail at [jolene.bellows@ofm.wa.gov](mailto:jolene.bellows@ofm.wa.gov).
- ◆ Directions to the Lacey Community Center can be found at <http://capps.wsu.edu/OSPIAdvisory/LaceyCCdirections.pdf>